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1. The Upper Austrian Provincial Board of the KPOe maintains a file containing all police and gendarmerie officials. All personal data, training courses attended and the political attitude of the officials are recorded.
2. Police officials who are Communist Party members are under special surveillance by the KPOe. In compliance with a Central Committee directive they have renounced their official party membership in most cases. This measure was designed to prevent the dismissal of Communist officials or their transfer to insignificant posts.

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